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	DISTRICT OF	NEVADA		
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United States of America)			
Plaintiff(s),)	VERIFIED PETI PERMISSION T	O PRACTI	
vs.)	IN THIS CASE O		TED
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Wei Seng Phua, et al.,	Ś	LOCAL COUNS		
Defendant(s).	(FILING FEE IS \$	200.00	
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Edward R. McNio	cholas Davisian	er, respectfully rep		a Carret
(name of petitio	, 1 01111011	er, respectionly rep	resems to th	e Court:
1. That Petitioner	is an attorney at law	and a member of th	e law firm o	of
	Sidley Austi			
	(firm na	•		
with offices at		K Street, N.W. et address)		***
Washington	(Site	District of Colum	hia	20005
(city)	······································	(state)	<u> </u>	(zip code)
202-736-8000	emcn	icholas@sidley.cor	n .	
(area code + telephone numb	per) (Email address)		
2. That Petitioner	has been retained per	rsonally or as a mei	nber of the l	law firm by
Center for Democracy & Teo	chnology (CDT) to	provide legal repre	esentation in	connection w
[client(s)]				
the above-entitled case now p	ending before this Co	urt.		
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1	3. That since August 7, 1998	, Petitioner has been a	and presently is a			
2	(date) member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of District of Columbia					
3	(state) where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or					
4	from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular					
5	possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying					
6	the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.					
7	4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District					
8	Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the	Supreme Court of the Un	nited States and Courts			
9	of other States on the dates indicated for each, and	that Petitioner is presentl	y a member in good			
10	standing of the bars of said Courts.					
11	Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number			
12	U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit	December 1, 2005	109540			
13	U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit	December 14, 2005	N/A			
14	U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit	June 4, 1997	N/A			
15	U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit	December 31, 1998	N/A			
16	U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit	December 31, 2006	N/A			
17	U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit	December 31, 2002	N/A			
18	See additional page	-				
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20	5. That there are or have been no disci					
21	nor any suspension of any license, certificate or pri					
22	or administrative body, or any resignation or termin		isciplinary or			
23	disbarment proceedings, except as described in det	ail below:				
24	None.					
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Further answer to Question 4

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
U.S. Court of Appeals for the	June 19, 2008	N/A
Tenth Circuit		
U.S. Court of Appeals for the	December 31, 2002	N/A
D.C. Circuit		
U.S. District Court for the	December 31, 2007	N/A
Central District of Illinois		
U.S. District Court for the	December 31, 1999	N/A
District of Columbia		
U.S. District Court for the	December 30, 1997	N/A
District of Maryland		
U.S. District Court for the	December 31, 2004	N/A
Eastern District of Michigan		
United States Supreme Court	December 31, 2004	N/A

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- 9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.
- 10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.
- 11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

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That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court		
FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.		
Petitioner's signature		
STATE OF District of Columbia) COUNTY OF District of Columbia)		
Edward McNicholas, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:		
That the foregoing statements are true.		
Petitioner's signature		
Subscribed and sworn to before me this		
day of November, 2014 DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: 88 SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE IN THIS 3rd DAY OF NOV. 114 Pursa CS WILliams		
Notary Public or Clerk of Court NOTARY PUBLIC My Commission Expires June 30,20 DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO		
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.		
Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner		
believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Steve Guinn (name of local counsel)		
Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the		
above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of		
said designated Nevada counsel is:		
9600 Gateway Drive (street address)		
Reno Nevada , 89521 ,		
(city) (state) (zip code)		
775-322-1170 sguinn@laxalt-nomura.com (area code + telephone number) (Email address)		
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1	By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes					
2	agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations					
3	binding on all of us.					
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5	APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL					
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7	The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Steve Guinn as					
8	(name of local counsel)					
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11	(party's signature)					
12	Nuala O'Connor, President and CEO, CDT (type or print party name, title)					
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14	(party's signature)					
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16	(type or print party name, title)					
17	CONSENT OF DESIGNEE					
18	The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.					
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	Dhunk Juin					
20	Designated Resident Nevada-Counsel's signature					
21	Bar number Email address					
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23	APPROVED:					
24	Dated: November 4, 2014.					
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26	UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE					
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Court of Appeals of Maryland Annapolis, MB



CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

STATE OF MARYLAND, ss:

I, Bessie M. Decker, Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, do hereby certify that on the eighteenth day of December, 1996,

Edward Robert McNicholas

having first taken and subscribed the oath prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of this State, was admitted as an attorney of said Court, is now in good standing, and as such is entitled to practice law in any of the Courts of said State, subject to the Rules of Court.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk, and affixed the Seal of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, this fifteenth day of October, 2014.

Sessie M. Wecker

Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland